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Docket No.: 3811-0140P

MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application applied for on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.41(c).

Inventor(s): Han Sol CHO; Jin Taek HWANG; Jin Sung CHOI; Sung Hen CHO; Young Mok SON; and Yong Young PARK

For: THE ENHANCEMENT OF OPTICAL AND MECHANICAL PROPERTIES IN A POLYMERIC OPTICAL ELEMENT BY ANNEALING UNDER A COMPRESSED GAS

Enclosed are:

- A specification consisting of thirteen (13) pages
- Three (3) sheet(s) of formal drawings
- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27

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Applicant does not claim priority

Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 2003-18165 and 2003-87110 filed in Korea on March 24, 2003 and December 24, 2003, respectively.

Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.

Certified copy(ies) will follow.

Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow

Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76

Preliminary Amendment

Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s)

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The application transmitted herewith is filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.41(c). The undersigned has been authorized by the inventor(s) to file the present application. The original duly executed declaration together with the surcharge will be forwarded in due course.

A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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